

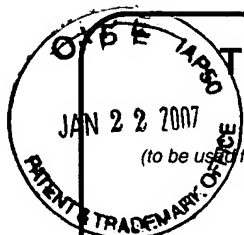
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed December 22, 2006, concerning the above-caption application. The period for response to this Office Action extends until January 22, 2007. Please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.